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Subject: Reports of shortage of clinical disposable supplies for Urology

Q1 Please could you indicate me if there have been any shortage of clinical disposable supplies reported, specifically urology disposable products, (i.e urine meters) over the past 6 months or expected next year?
a. If yes - what products

A1 Yes

- Chest bottle drains – experienced in 2022, now resolved
- Administration Sets – experienced in 2022, now resolved
- Scissors – experienced in 2022, now resolved
- Toilet tissue – experienced in 2022, now resolved
- Gallipots – experienced in 2022, now resolved
- Jugs – experienced in 2022, now resolved
- Surgeons' gloves – experienced in 2022, still ongoing
- Cotton applicator – experienced in 2022, still ongoing
- Tracheostomy tubes – experienced in 2022, still ongoing